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New Applications

None.

Pending Review/Incomplete Applications

2003-131 Savannah Plastic Surgicenter, Inc.

Relocation of Limited Purpose Ambulatory Surgery Center

Filed: 12/23/2003 Deemed Incomplete: 1/8/2003

Site: 7208 Hodgson Memorial Drive, Savannah, GA 31406 (Chatham County)

Contact: Gayle R. Evans 912-351-5050 **Estimated Cost:** \$929,620

2003-134 John D. Archbold Memorial Hospital

Expansion of Existing Facility

Filed: 12/24/2003 Deemed Incomplete: 1/9/2004

Site: Gordon Avenue at Mimosa Drive, Thomasville, GA 31792 (Thomas County)

Contact: William M. Dickey, VP 229-228-2880 **Estimated Cost:** \$23,561,129

Pending Review/Complete Applications

2003-070 Open MRI & Imaging of Albany, LLC

Addition of Fixed-Based MRI Unit

Filed: 9/22/2003 Deemed Complete: 10/3/2003

Decision Deadline: 12/31/2003 Extended Deadline: 1/30/2004

Site: 2416-C Westgate Boulevard, Albany, GA 31707 (Dougherty County)

Contact: Richard Divers 770-300-0101 **Estimated Cost:** \$873,588

2003-073 Roosevelt Warm Springs Institute for Rehabilitation

Construction of New Facility

Filed: 9/25/2003 Deemed Incomplete: 10/8/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/25/2003

Decision Deadline: 2/22/2004

Site: 6135 Roosevelt Highway, Warm Springs, GA 31830 (Meriwether County)

Contact: David E. Parmer 706-655-5007 **Estimated Cost:** \$6,347,200

2003-074 Winship Cancer Institute

Purchase of PET/CT Scanner

Filed: 9/25/2003 Deemed Incomplete: 10/8/2003 Deemed Complete: 10/14/2003

Decision Deadline: 1/11/2004 Extended Deadline: 2/10/2004

Site: 1365 Clifton Road, NE, Suite B4100, Atlanta, GA 30322 (DeKalb County)

Contact: Shari Capers 404-778-2490 **Estimated Cost:** \$3,498,945

2003-077 Battlefield Imaging Center

Acquisition of PET/CT Scanner

Filed: 9/30/2003 Deemed Complete: 10/14/2003

Decision Deadline: 1/11/2004 Extended Deadline: 2/10/2004

Site: 4700 Battlefield Parkway, Ringgold, GA 30736 (Catoosa County)

Contact: Sandy McKenzie 706-858-2205 **Estimated Cost:** \$2,439,520

2003-082 Memorial Health University Medical Center

Expansion and Renovation of Existing Facility

Filed: 10/10/2003 Deemed Complete: 10/24/2003**Decision Deadline: 1/21/2004 Extended Deadline: 2/20/2004****Site:** 4700 Waters Avenue, Savannah, GA 31404 (Chatham County)**Contact:** Joseph R. Ross, Esq. 912-350-8739**Estimated Cost:** \$42,222,101**2003-083 Savannah Oncology Center**

Replacement and Expansion of Radiation Therapy Center

Filed: 10/14/2003 Deemed Complete: 10/27/2003**Decision Deadline: 1/24/2004 Extended Deadline: 2/23/2004****Site:** 310 Eisenhower Drive, Bldg 11, Savannah, GA 31406 (Chatham County)**Contact:** Winnie Walker 912-352-1700**Estimated Cost:** \$6,632,481**2003-084 Summerville Surgical Center, LLC**

Establishment of Limited Purpose Ambulatory Surgery Center

Filed: 10/17/2003 Deemed Incomplete: 10/30/2003 Deemed Complete: 12/3/2003**Decision Deadline: 3/1/2004****Site:** 1433 Stovall Street, Augusta, GA 30904 (Richmond County)**Contact:** Gayle Evans 770-794-4944**Estimated Cost:** \$217,244**2003-085 Wesley Woods Geriatric Hospital**

Transfer of Operations of 40 Skilled Nursing Beds

Filed: 10/24/2003 Deemed Incomplete: 11/6/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/12/2003**Decision Deadline: 2/9/2004****Site:** 1821 Clifton Road, NE, Atlanta, GA 30329 (DeKalb County)**Contact:** Peter A. Basler, Jr. 404-728-6250**Estimated Cost:** \$15,000**2003-088 St. George Village**

Development of a Continuing Care Retirement Community

Filed: 10/31/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/14/2003**Decision Deadline: 2/11/2004****Site:** 11350 Woodstock Road, Roswell, GA 30075 (Fulton County)**Contact:** Gary Meader 404-885-7408**Estimated Cost:** \$7,994,343**2003-089 Northeast Georgia Medical Center**

Addition of Third Cardiac Catheterization Laboratory

Filed: 11/3/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/17/2003**Decision Deadline: 2/14/2004****Site:** 743 Spring Street, Gainesville, GA 30501 (Hall County)**Contact:** Tracy Vardeman 770-535-3553**Estimated Cost:** \$3,673,634**2003-090 Emory Dunwoody Medical Center**

Acquisition of Fixed-Based MRI Unit

Filed: 11/10/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/20/2003**Decision Deadline: 2/17/2004****Site:** 4575 North Shallowford Road, Atlanta, GA 30338 (DeKalb County)**Contact:** Thomas Gilbert 770-454-2000**Estimated Cost:** \$2,155,153**2003-092 United Home Care, Inc.**

Expansion of Home Health Services in SSDR 1 (Batching Cycle)

Filed: 11/10/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/10/2003**Decision Deadline: 3/8/2004****Site:** 471 S. Main Street, Suite B, Cleveland, GA 30528 (White County)**Contact:** Scott Shull 770-925-4788**Estimated Cost:** \$69,280

2003-093 Healthfield Home Health, Inc.

Expansion of Home Health Services in SSDR 1 (Batching Cycle)

Filed: 11/10/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/10/2003

Decision Deadline: 3/8/2004

Site: 5939 Joe Frank Harris Parkway, Adairsville, GA 30103 (Bartow County)

Contact: Robert Radics 770-951-6312 **Estimated Cost:** \$52,000

2003-094 Healthfield Home Health of North Georgia, Inc.

Establishment of New Home Health Agency in SSDR 1 (Batching Cycle)

Filed: 11/10/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/10/2003

Decision Deadline: 3/8/2004

Site: Redmond MOB, Suite A1-A3, Rome, GA 30339 (Floyd County)

Contact: Robert Radics 770-951-6312 **Estimated Cost:** \$52,000

2003-095 Hamilton Medical Center Home Health

Expansion of Home Health Services in SSDR 1 (Batching Cycle)

Filed: 11/10/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/10/2003

Decision Deadline: 3/8/2004

Site: 1012 Burleyson Road-Hamilton Campus, Dalton, GA 30720 (Whitfield County)

Contact: Keith Jennings 706-272-6118 **Estimated Cost:** \$0

2003-096 Guardian Home Care of North Georgia, LLC

Establishment of New Home Health Agency in SSDR 1 (Batching Cycle)

Filed: 11/10/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/10/2003

Decision Deadline: 3/8/2004

Site: 1394 Battlefield Parkway, Ft. Oglethorpe, GA 30742 (Catoosa County)

Contact: Tom Poteet 423-870-9971 **Estimated Cost:** \$38,000

2003-097 Amedisys Home Health of Augusta

Establishment of New Home Health Agency in SSDR 7 (Batching Cycle)

Filed: 11/10/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/10/2003

Decision Deadline: 3/8/2004

Site: 2818 Hillcreek Drive, Augusta, GA 30909 (Richmond County)

Contact: Jeffrey Jeter 225-292-2031 **Estimated Cost:** \$107,560

2003-098 Healthfield Home Health of Augusta, Inc.

Establishment of New Home Health Agency in SSDR 7 (Batching Cycle)

Filed: 11/10/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/10/2003

Decision Deadline: 3/8/2004

Site: 2531 Center West Parkway, Augusta, GA 30909 (Richmond County)

Contact: Robert Radics 770-951-6100 **Estimated Cost:** \$52,000

2003-099 United Home Care, Inc.

Establishment of New Home Health Agency in SSDR 7 (Batching Cycle)

Filed: 11/10/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/10/2003

Decision Deadline: 3/8/2004

Site: 1226 Augusta West Parkway, Augusta, GA 30909 (Richmond County)

Contact: Scott Shull 770-925-4788 **Estimated Cost:** \$122,560

2003-101 Chattahoochee Valley Home Health Care

Expansion of Home Health Services in SSDR 4 (Batching Cycle)

Filed: 11/10/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/10/2003

Decision Deadline: 3/8/2004

Site: 730 Center Street, Suite 200, Columbus, GA 31901 (Muscogee County)

Contact: Susan M. Jones 706-321-6633 **Estimated Cost:** \$52,000

2003-102 Amedisys Home Health of Macon

Expansion of Home Health Services in SSDR 8 (Batching Cycle)

Filed: 11/10/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/10/2003**Decision Deadline: 3/8/2004****Site:** 1671 Eisenhower Parkway, Macon, GA 31206 (Bibb County)**Contact:** Michelle Rucker 478-781-6653**Estimated Cost:** \$26,500**2003-103 Healthfield Home Health of Athens**

Establishment of New Home Health Agency in SSDR 5 (Batching Cycle)

Filed: 11/10/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/10/2003**Decision Deadline: 3/8/2004****Site:** 265 West Hancock Avenue, Athens, GA 30601 (Clarke County)**Contact:** Robert Radics 770-951-6312**Estimated Cost:** \$52,000**2003-104 United Home Care, Inc.**

Expansion of Home Health Services in SSDR 5 (Batching Cycle)

Filed: 11/10/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/10/2003**Decision Deadline: 3/8/2004****Site:** 4151 Memorial Drive, Suite 207E, Decatur, GA 30032 (DeKalb County)**Contact:** Scott Shull 770-925-4788**Estimated Cost:** \$69,280**2003-105 Tugaloo Home Health**

Expansion of Home Health Services in SSDR 5 (Batching Cycle)

Filed: 11/10/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/10/2003**Decision Deadline: 3/8/2004****Site:** 11929 Augusta Road, Lavonia, GA 30553 (Franklin County)**Contact:** Kathey McKissick 770-532-2013**Estimated Cost:** \$26,000**2003-106 Guardian Home Care of Central Georgia, LLC**

Establishment of a New Home Health Agency in SSDR 5 (Batching Cycle)

Filed: 11/10/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/10/2003**Decision Deadline: 3/8/2004****Site:** 260 North Milledge Avenue, Athens, GA 30601 (Clarke County)**Contact:** Tom Poteet 312-664-4100**Estimated Cost:** \$38,000**2003-108 Atlanta Oncology Associates at Reynolds Plantation**

Construction of New Cancer Treatment Center

Filed: 11/26/2003 Deemed Complete: 12/11/2003**Decision Deadline: 3/9/2004****Site:** 1501 Linger Longer Road, Greensboro, GA 30642 (Greene County)**Contact:** Dale McCord, MD 770-350-0126**Estimated Cost:** \$4,939,254**2003-109 Home Care Select**

Establishment of New Home Health Agency in SSDR 1 (Batching Cycle)

Filed: 11/10/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/10/2003**Decision Deadline: 3/8/2004****Site:** 931 Spring Creek Road, Suite 106, Chattanooga, GA 37412 (Bartow County)**Contact:** Newell Yarborough 423-296-0074**Estimated Cost:** \$60,000**2003-110 Captial Health Management Group of Rome**

Establishment of New Home Health Agency in SSDR 1 (Batching Cycle)

Filed: 11/10/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/10/2003**Decision Deadline: 3/8/2004****Site:** 162 Three Rivers Drive, Suite 200-300, Rome, GA 30161 (Floyd County)**Contact:** Boyd Russell 706-896-8053**Estimated Cost:** \$56,500

2003-111 CareSouth HHA Holdings

Establishment of New Home Health Agency in SSDR 1 (Batching Cycle)

Filed: 11/10/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/10/2003**Decision Deadline: 3/8/2004****Site:** 2743 Perimeter Parkway, Bldg. 200, Augusta, GA 30909 (Richmond County)**Contact:** Newell Yarborough 912-925-5896 **Estimated Cost:** \$60,000**2003-112 Community Home Health of Northwest Georgia**

Establishment of Home Health Agency in SSDR 1 (Batching Cycle)

Filed: 11/10/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/10/2003**Decision Deadline: 3/8/2004****Site:** GA (Bartow County)**Contact:** Michael McMaude 512-732-0050 **Estimated Cost:** \$36,000**2003-113 Life Care at Home of Georgia**

Establishment of New Home Health Agency in SSDR 1 (Batching Cycle)

Filed: 11/10/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/10/2003**Decision Deadline: 3/8/2004****Site:** GA (Bartow County)**Contact:** Mary R. Maurer 423-473-5251 **Estimated Cost:** \$60,000**2003-114 Captial Health Management Group/Athens**

Establishment of New Home Health Agency in SSDR 5 (Batching Cycle)

Filed: 11/10/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/10/2003**Decision Deadline: 3/8/2004****Site:** 1 Huntington Road, Athens, GA 30606 (Clarke County)**Contact:** Boyd Russell 770-828-0420 **Estimated Cost:** \$56,000**2003-115 CareSouth HHA Holdings**

Expansion of Home Health Service in SSDR 5 (Batching Cycle)

Filed: 11/10/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/10/2003**Decision Deadline: 3/8/2004****Site:** 2743 Perimeter Parkway, Bldg. 200, Augusta, GA 30909 (Richmond County)**Contact:** Newell Yarborough 912-925-5896 **Estimated Cost:** \$45,000**2003-116 Life Care at Home of Georgia**

Establishment of New Home Health Agency in SSDR 5 (Batching Cycle)

Filed: 11/10/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/10/2003**Decision Deadline: 3/8/2004****Site:** GA (Clarke County)**Contact:** Newell Yarborough 912-925-5896 **Estimated Cost:** \$60,000**2003-117 Community Home Health of Northeast Georgia**

Establishment of New Home Health Agency in SSDR 5 (Batching Cycle)

Filed: 11/10/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/10/2003**Decision Deadline: 3/8/2004****Site:** GA (Clarke County)**Contact:** Michael McMaude 512-732-0050 **Estimated Cost:** \$36,000**2003-118 CSRA Diversified Home Services**

Establishment of New Home Health Agency in SSDR 7 (Batching Cycle)

Filed: 11/10/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/10/2003**Decision Deadline: 3/8/2004****Site:** P O Box 189, Washington, GA 30673 (Wilkes County)**Contact:** Newell Yarborough 912-925-5896 **Estimated Cost:** \$60,000

2003-119 Community Home Health of East Georgia

Establishment of New Home Health Agency in SSDR 7 (Batching Cycle)

Filed: 11/10/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/10/2003**Decision Deadline: 3/8/2004****Site:** GA (Burke County)**Contact:** Michael McMaude 512-732-0050**Estimated Cost:** \$41,000**2003-120 CareSouth HHA Holdings, Inc.**

Expansion of Home Health Services in SSDR 7 (Batching Cycle)

Filed: 11/10/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/10/2003**Decision Deadline: 3/8/2004****Site:** 2743 Perimeter Parkway, Bldg. 200, Augusta, GA 30909 (Richmond County)**Contact:** Newell Yarborough 912-925-5896**Estimated Cost:** \$45,000**2003-121 Captial Health Management Group of Augusta**

Establishment of New Home Health Agency in SSDR 7 (Batching Cycle)

Filed: 11/10/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/10/2003**Decision Deadline: 3/8/2004****Site:** 3508-C Professional Circle, Martinez, GA 30907 (Richmond County)**Contact:** Boyd Russell 770-828-0420**Estimated Cost:** \$56,500**2003-122 Guardian Home Care of East Georgia, LLC**

Establishment of New Home Health Agency in SSDR 7 (Batching Cycle)

Filed: 11/10/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/10/2003**Decision Deadline: 3/8/2004****Site:** 3706 Executive Center Drive, Suite A, Martinez, GA 30907 (Richmond County)**Contact:** Tom Poteet, Jr. 423-870-9971**Estimated Cost:** \$38,000**2003-123 CSRA Nursing Associates, PC**

Establishment of New Home Health Agency in SSDR 7 (Batching Cycle)

Filed: 11/10/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/10/2003**Decision Deadline: 3/8/2004****Site:** 237 Camilla Drive, Martinez, GA 30907 (Columbia County)**Contact:** Suzanne Thomas 706-650-9937**Estimated Cost:** \$70,000**2003-124 Delmar Gardens of Smryna**

Addition of 16 Beds to Personal Care Home

Filed: 12/3/2003 Deemed Incomplete: 12/16/2003 Deemed Complete: 12/29/2003**Decision Deadline: 3/27/2004****Site:** 404 King Village Parkway, Smryna, GA 30082 (Cobb County)**Contact:** Kurt Greenlow 770-432444**Estimated Cost:** \$403,000**2003-125 Dekalb Medical Center**

Construction of One Additional Level to Existing Parking Deck

Filed: 12/3/2003 Deemed Complete: 12/16/2003**Decision Deadline: 1/29/2004****Site:** 2701 North Decatur Road, Decatur, GA 30033 (DeKalb County)**Contact:** Don Fears 404-501-5790**Estimated Cost:** \$1,932,902**2003-126 WellStar Kennestone Hospital**

New Patient Care Tower/Addition of 140 Acute Care Beds

Filed: 12/10/2003 Deemed Complete: 12/23/2003**Decision Deadline: 3/21/2004****Site:** 677 Church Street, Marietta, GA 30060 (Cobb County)**Contact:** Debbie Jefferson 770-793-5000**Estimated Cost:** \$93,460,120

2003-127 Tanner Medical Center-Villa Rica

Establishment of Inpatient Psychiatric Services

Filed: 12/12/2003 Deemed Incomplete: 12/29/2003 Deemed Complete: 1/20/2004**Decision Deadline: 4/18/2004****Site:** 601 Dallas Highway, Villa Rica, GA 30180 (Carroll County)**Contact:** Michael P. Britain, CHE 404-847-0100**Estimated Cost:** \$3,722,500**2003-128 Spalding Regional Medical Center**

Development of a 20-Bed Adult Comprehensive Inpatient Rehab Unit

Filed: 12/12/2003 Deemed Complete: 12/29/2003**Decision Deadline: 3/27/2004****Site:** 601 Eighth Street, Griffin, GA 30224 (Spalding County)**Contact:** John Quinn 770-229-6469**Estimated Cost:** \$3,288,746**2003-129 Spalding Regional Medical Center**

Development of Women's Ctr/Reconfiguration of Existing Inpatient Beds

Filed: 12/12/2003 Deemed Complete: 12/29/2003**Decision Deadline: 3/27/2004****Site:** 601 South Eighth Street, Griffin, GA 30224 (Spalding County)**Contact:** John Quinn 770-229-6469**Estimated Cost:** \$10,582,259**2003-132 Sumter Regional Hospital**

Replacement of Mobile MRI with Fixed Based MRI Unit

Filed: 12/23/2003 Deemed Complete: 1/8/2004**Decision Deadline: 4/6/2004****Site:** 100 Wheatley Drive, Americus, GA 31709 (Sumter County)**Contact:** David H. Seagraves 229-924-6011**Estimated Cost:** \$3,568,652**2003-133 Saint Joseph's Hospital of Atlanta**

Expansion of Bed Capacity

Filed: 12/23/2003 Deemed Complete: 1/8/2004**Decision Deadline: 4/6/2004****Site:** 5665 Peachtree Dunwoody Road, NE, Atlanta, GA 30342 (Fulton County)**Contact:** Douglas J. Holbrook 404-851-5933**Estimated Cost:** \$26,473,927**2003-135 Southern Regional Medical Center**

Replacement of MRI Scanner

Filed: 12/29/2003 Deemed Complete: 1/12/2004**Decision Deadline: 4/10/2004****Site:** 11 Upper Riverdale Road, SW, Riverdale, GA 30274 (Clayton County)**Contact:** Paul Casbergue 770-991-8395**Estimated Cost:** \$902,749**2004-001 Fayette Community Hospital**

Expansion and Renovation of Existing Facility

Filed: 1/8/2004 Deemed Complete: 1/22/2004**Decision Deadline: 4/20/2004****Site:** 1255 Highway 54 West, Fayetteville, GA 30214 (Fayette County)**Contact:** Michael Burnett 770-719-7151**Estimated Cost:** \$41,134,655

Pending Review/Complete/Joined Applications

2003-087 Newnan Hospital-West

Adult Diagnostic Cardiac Catheterization Service (Joined 107)

Filed: 10/31/2003 Deemed Complete: 11/14/2003**Joined: 12/9/2003 Decision Deadline: 2/28/2004****Site:** 60 Hospital Road, Newnan, GA 30263 (Coweta County)**Contact:** Glenn M. Flake 70-254-3601**Estimated Cost:** \$1,263,696

2003-107 Fayette Community Hospital

Inpatient Adult Diagnostic Cardiac Cath Lab (Joined 87)

Filed: 11/20/2003 Deemed Complete: 12/1/2003**Joined: 12/9/2003 Decision Deadline: 2/28/2004****Site:** 1255 Highway 54 West, Fayetteville, GA 30214 (Fayette County)**Contact:** Michael Burnett 770-719-7151**Estimated Cost:** \$3,762,344

Recently Approved Applications

2003-064 Northeast Georgia Medical Center-Main Campus

Renovation and Expansion of Radiology Department

Filed: 8/21/2003 Deemed Complete: 9/4/2003**Decision Deadline: 12/2/2003 Extended Deadline: 1/1/2004****APPROVED: 12/30/2003****Site:** 743 Spring Street, Gainesville, GA 30501 (Hall County)**Contact:** LeTrell Simpson 770-535-3553**Estimated Cost:** \$17,870,697**2003-066 Union General Hospital**

Expansion and Renovation of Existing Facility

Filed: 8/22/2003 Deemed Complete: 9/5/2003**Decision Deadline: 12/3/2003 Extended Deadline: 1/2/2004****APPROVED: 12/31/2003****Site:** 214 Hospital Circle, Blairsville, GA 30512 (Union County)**Contact:** Rebecca T. Dyer 706-745-2111**Estimated Cost:** \$33,821,633**2003-069 Cobb Memorial Hospital**

Acquisition of Fixed-Based MRI Unit

Filed: 9/19/2003 Deemed Complete: 10/1/2003**Decision Deadline: 12/29/2003****APPROVED: 12/29/2003****Site:** 521 Franklin Springs Street, Royston, GA 30662 (Franklin County)**Contact:** John Herron 706-245-5071**Estimated Cost:** \$1,564,859**2003-079 Fayette Community Hospital**

Expansion and Renovation of Existing Facility

Filed: 10/8/2003 Deemed Complete: 10/22/2003**Decision Deadline: 1/19/2004****APPROVED: 1/15/2004****Site:** 1255 Highway 54 West, Fayetteville, GA 30214 (Fayette County)**Contact:** Michael Burnett 770-719-7000**Estimated Cost:** \$2,348,001**2003-081 Redmond Regional Medical Center**

Addition of 29 Acute Care Beds

Filed: 10/8/2003 Deemed Complete: 10/22/2003**Decision Deadline: 1/19/2004****APPROVED: 1/15/2004****Site:** 501 Redmond Road, Rome, GA 30164 (Floyd County)**Contact:** James Thomas 706-802-3012**Estimated Cost:** \$16,923,685**2003-091 Candler Hospital**

Construction of Parking Deck

Filed: 11/7/2003 Deemed Incomplete: 11/18/2003 Deemed Complete: 12/1/2003**Decision Deadline: 1/14/2004****APPROVED: 1/14/2004****Site:** 5353 Reynolds Street, Savannah, GA 31405 (Chatham County)**Contact:** Michele Person 912-692-5293**Estimated Cost:** \$4,592,937

Applications Withdrawn by Applicant

2003-065 Athens Ambulatory Surgery Center, LLC

Establishment of Free-Standing Multi-Purpose Ambulatory Surgery Center

Filed: 8/22/2003 Deemed Incomplete: 9/5/2003 Deemed Complete: 9/24/2003

Decision Deadline: 12/22/2003 Extended Deadline: 1/21/2004

WITHDRAWN: 1/21/2004

Site: 100 Alps Road, Athens, GA 30606 (Clarke County)

Contact: Jonathan Johnson 706-355-7776

Estimated Cost: \$7,443,118

Appealed Projects

2000-065 Emory Johns Creek Hospital (Fulton)

Establish a 110-bed Acute Care Hospital by Consolidation/Replacement. Approved 3/2/2001. Appealed by Georgia Baptist Health Care System & Baptist Medical Center (Intervenor) 03-28-01; Gwinnett Hospital System, Inc. d/b/a Gwinnett Medical Center and Joan Glancy Memorial Hospital (Intervenor) 03-30-01; St. Joseph's Hospital of Atlanta (Intervenor) 03-28-01; North Fulton Medical Center, Inc. d/b/a North Fulton Regional Hospital (Intervenor) 03-26-01. Hearing Officer: Melvin M. Goldstein, Esq.

Hearing Decision: Hearing Officer Affirmed Award of CON 12-24-01. Gwinnett, St. Joseph's and North Fulton filed objections to Hearing Officer's decision to full Review Board. Review Board Hearing set for 3-11-02. Review Board Decision: Adopted Hearing Officer's Decision 3-14-02. Appealed to Superior Court: St. Joseph's petitioned for judicial review in Fulton County Superior Court 04-12-02. Gwinnett petitioned for judicial review in Gwinnett County Superior Court 04-10-02.

Additional Information: Petition for Judicial Review Hearing in Gwinnett Superior Court 08-16-02. Gwinnett Superior Court issued Order reversing Review Board decision and revoking CON to John's Creek 10-11-02. Petition for Judicial Review Hearing in Fulton Superior Court 10-17-02. Fulton Superior Court issued Order reversing Review Board decision and revoking CON to John's Creek 11-12-02. DCH and EHCA Johns Creek filed request for appeal of Gwinnett Superior Court decision with Georgia Court of Appeals 11-12-02. DCH and EHCA Johns Creek filed request for appeal of Fulton Superior Court decision with Georgia Court of Appeals 11-26-02. Georgia Court of Appeals agreed to hear appeal of both Superior Court rulings. 12-06-02 (Gwinnett) and 12-13-02 (Fulton). Oral Argument before Court of Appeals held on June 4, 2003. Court of Appeals issued Opinion on 8/26/03 reversing both Superior Court rulings. Gwinnett Hospital System filed Petition for Writ of Certiorari in the Georgia Supreme Court on 9/12/03. Supreme Court denied Petition for Certiorari on 1-12-04 for Gwinnett and St. Joseph.

2001-061 Wellstar Kennestone Hospital (Cobb)

Establish Adult Open Heart Surgery Program. Approved 12/14/01. Appealed by Piedmont Hospital, Inc. 01-09-02 (Intervenor) and Saint Joseph's Hospital of Atlanta 01-09-02 (Intervenor). Hearing Officer: Jordan E. Lubin, Esq. Hearing Date: 5/6/02 - 5/10/02. Hearing Decision: Hearing Officer Remanded Application to Department for further 30-Day review 8-02-02. Remand decision due 9-09-02. Original approval affirmed 9/9/02. Remand Hearing held 10-22-02. Hearing Officer issued Remand Decision affirming original grant of CON to applicant 12-17-02. Piedmont Hospital (1-22-03) and St. Joseph's Hospital (1-21-03) filed objections to hearing officer decision to Health Planning Review Board. Review Board Hearing originally set for 03-18-03; continued to 03-31-03. Review Board affirmed Hearing Officer decision 04-02-03. St. Joseph's Hospital and Piedmont filed Petition for Judicial Review of Review Board decision in Fulton County Superior Court on May 9, 2003. Oral argument in Fulton Superior Court scheduled for 08-29-03.

2002-004 Eastside Heritage Center (Gwinnett)

Add Adult Inpatient Physical Rehabilitation. Denied 8/2/2002. Appealed by applicant 08-05-02. Hearing Officer: Walter Van Heiningen, Esq. Hearing Date 11-19-02. Hearing continued. Hearing Officer granted applicant's Motion to Remand 11-18-02. Remand Decision Due 01-17-03.

Remand Decision Due Date Extended to 1-24-03. Remand Decision awarding CON for 14-bed adult rehabilitation unit to applicant issued 01-24-03. Remand Hearing to be scheduled. Southern Regional Health System, originally opposed to remand decision, withdrew objections on 02-28-03. Gwinnett Health System requests intervention in opposition to remand decision. Hearing Date: May 21-23, 2003. Hearing Officer issued Order of Remand 05-19-03. Remand Decision Due 07-11-03. Department issued Second Remand Decision on 7-11-03 approving establishment of new 20-bed adult comprehensive inpatient physical rehabilitation program at Eastside. Hearing dates: 11/6, 11/7 and 11/13/03. Hearing continued to 12/15/03 and 12/16/03.

2002-023 Saint Joseph's Hospital of Atlanta (Fulton)

Development of Gamma Knife Surgery Service. Approved 8/16/2002. Appealed by Intervenor, Piedmont Hospital of Atlanta 9/12/02. Hearing Officer: Clifford M. Weiss, Esq. Hearing Date: 03-19-03 and 03-20-03. Hearing continued on April 15; concluded on April 30, 2003. Hearing Officer Affirmed award of CON on 7/28/03. Intervenor Piedmont Hospital of Atlanta requested full Review Board hearing on 8/29/03. Review Board hearing scheduled for 9/29/03 at 3:00 pm. Notice of Extension of Time granted; review of Hearing Officer decision to take place no later than 11-14-03. Review Board meeting scheduled for 11-10-03. Review Board issued decision on 11-12-03 affirming the Department's decision to issue a CON to St. Joseph.

2002-029 Sunbelt Home Care

2002-030 Healthfield Home Health, Inc.

2002-032 Amedysis Home Health of Ft. Oglethorpe

Approved Sunbelt Home Care and Amedysis Home Health of Ft. Oglethorpe 8/30/02. Denied Healthfield Home Health, Inc. 8/30/02. Appealed by Healthfield Home Health, Inc. 9/18/02. Hearing Officer: Ellwood F. Oakley, III, Esq. Hearing Officer: Ellenwood F. Oakley, III, Esq. Hearing held 01-14-03 and 01-15-03. Hearing Officer Decision affirmed Department decision 03-29-03. Healthfield filed objections to hearing officer decision and request Review Board hearing 04-29-03. Review Board Hearing to be held on July 14, 2003. Review Board affirmed award of CON to Amedysis Home Health of Ft. Oglethorpe on 08/12/03. Healthfield Home Health, Inc. filed Petition for Judicial Review in Superior Court of Fulton County on 9/11/03.

2002-051 Southern Regional Medical Center (Clayton)

Establishment of a 20-bed adult inpatient physical rehabilitation program. Approved 11-26-02. Appealed by intervenor Tenet South Fulton Inc. 12-23-02. Appealed by intervenor EHCA Eastside, LLC 12-13-02. Hearing Officer is Melvin Goldstein, Esq. EHCA Eastside withdrew appeal 03-01-03. Hearing Date April 22-25, 2003. Hearing held on June 5, 6, 2003. Hearing concluded on June 11, 2003. Hearing Officer issued Order extending final decision for additional 15 days on 8/28/03. Hearing Officer issued decision on 9/17/03 affirming Department's award of CON. Tenet South Fulton, Inc. filed objections to decision of hearing officer on 10-14-03. Notice of Extension for Review Board to meet filed 11-1-03; Review Board scheduled to meet 12/22/03 at 10:00 am. Review Board issued Order dated 12-22-03 affirming Department's decision to issue CON to Southern Regional.

2002-059 North Atlanta Orthopedic Surgery Center, LLC (Fulton)

Request to convert physician-owned ambulatory surgery center to limited-purpose ambulatory surgery center. Denied 02-11-03. Appealed by Applicant 03-07-03. Hearing Officer is Clifford M. Weiss, Esq.

2002-117 Henry Medical Center, Inc. (Henry)

Addition of 91 general acute care beds. Approved 03-12-03. Appealed by intervenor Southern Regional Medical Center 04-10-03. Appealed by intervenor Tenet South Fulton Medical Center and Tenet Spalding Regional Medical Center 04-10-03. Hearing Officer is Melvin M. Goldstein, Esq. Henry filed Motion To Remand May 12, 2003. Hearing Officer granted Order of Remand On 7/24/03. Remand Decision to be issued by the Department by 9/22/03. Department approves Remand on 9/22/03. Hearing scheduled February 2-5, 2004.

2002-068 Georgia Institute for Plastic Surgery (Chatham)

Convert an Existing Physician-Owned Single Specialty Ambulatory Surgery Center to a Multi-Specialty Ambulatory Surgery Center. Application Denied 03-03-03. Applicant Appealed Denial 03-17-03. St. Joseph's/Candler Health System requested intervention in opposition to application 03-27-03. Memorial Health University Medical Center requested intervention in opposition to application 03-26-03. Hearing Officer is Clifford M. Weiss, Esq. Applicant withdrew appeal request on 4-25-03. Hearing Officer issued Order of Dismissal on 12-9-03.

2002-102 Englewood Health Systems, Inc. (Dougherty)

Expansion of Existing Home Health agency in Health Planning Area 11. Denied 03-07-03. Applicant Appealed 03-31-03. Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital requested intervention in opposition to application 04-07-03. Hearing Officer is Clifford M. Weiss, Esq. Englewood filed Motion to Remand to the Department on 4/7/03. Hearing Officer issued Order on 8/13/03 to Remand to the Department. Department issued Remanded decision on 9/4/03 granting CON to Englewood. Hearing scheduled for Oct. 21, 22, and 23. Phoebe Putney withdrew request to intervene on 10/14/03.

2002-101 MCCG/Central Georgia Home Health**2002-099 Three Rivers Home Health Services, Inc. - Treutlen****2002-100 Memorial CareOne Home Health Services, Inc.**

Expansion of Existing Home Health Agencies to Laurens County. All three applications approved 03-07-03. Three Rivers-Dodge County requested intervention in opposition to Central Georgia Home Health and CareOne Home Health 04-03-03. Hearing Officer is Walter Van Heiningen, Esq. Hearing set for August 6 and 7. Hearing Officer issued decision on 9/17/03 affirming Department's issue of the three CONs. Three Rivers Home Health Services, Inc. filed objections to decision of hearing officer on 10-17-03 and request Review Board hearing. Notice of Extension for Review Board to meet filed 11-7-03; Review Board scheduled to meet 12/22/03 at 1:00 pm. Review Board issued Order on 12-22-03 affirming Department's decisions to issue CONs.

2002-094 Amedysis Home Health of Macon

Expansion of an Existing Home Health Agency into Baldwin, Putnam and Twiggs counties. Approved 03-07-03. Three Rivers-Bibb County requested intervention in opposition to approval 04-03-03. Hearing Officer is Ellwood F. Oakley, III, Esq. Hearing Officer Oakley withdrew from case 05-28-03. New Hearing Officer to be appointed. Reassigned to Hearing Officer Oakley on 10/1/03. Hearing scheduled for 12/8/03.

Hearing Officer issued Order of Partial Summary Judgment on 11-18-03. On 12-17-03 Hearing Officer ordered that summary adjudication be granted to Three-Rivers-Bibb and the Department's decision to grant a CON to Amedisys-Macon for Putnam and Twiggs Counties be reversed and said application denied. On 1-20-04 the Department filed objections to Hearing Officer's decision and requested oral arguments before Review Board. Amedisys-Macon filed objections and requested oral arguments before Review Board.

2002-092 Central Home Health of Douglasville - Amedysis**2002-093 Healthfield Home Health, Inc.**

Expansion of Existing Home Health Agencies into Heard, Meriwether, Troup and Upson counties. Central Home Health approved, Healthfield denied 03-07-03. Healthfield appealed its denial and Central Home Health approval 03-31-03. Hearing Officer is Ellwood F. Oakley, III, Esq. Hearing Officer Oakley withdrew from case. New Hearing Officer to be appointed. Reassigned to Hearing Officer Oakley on 10/1/03. Healthfield withdrew request for appeal on 11/25/03. Hearing Officer issued Order of Dismissal on 11/25/03 affirming the CON to Central Home Health (Douglasville).

2003-004 Northeast Georgia Medical Center (Hall)

Addition of 96 general acute care beds. Approved 03-31-03. Intervenor in opposition Chestatee Regional Hospital requested hearing 04-21-03. Intervenor in opposition EHCA Dunwoody and EHCA Eastside, LLC requested hearing 04-29-03. Hearing Officer is Clifford M. Weiss, Esq. Chestatee withdrew request for appeal on 10/27/03.

2003-007 Cancer Treatment Center at Henry County (Henry)

Establishment of new free-standing radiation therapy center.

Both projects (joined with 2002-119) approved June 16, 2003. Institute for Radiation Therapy, Inc. requested administrative hearing in opposition to Cancer Treatment Center at Henry County on June 27, 2003. Jordan E. Lubin is Hearing Officer. Oral Arguments on Motions scheduled 2-6-04 from 10:00 to 12:00. Hearing scheduled 3-2-04 thru 3-4-04.

2002-119 Frank A. Critz, MD d/b/a Radiotherapy Clinics of Georgia (Gwinnett)

Expansion of existing radiation therapy center. Both projects (Joined with 2003-007) approved June 16, 2003. Institute for Radiation Therapy, Inc. requested administrative hearing in opposition to Cancer Treatment Center at Henry County on June 27, 2003. Jordan E. Lubin is Hearing Officer. Oral Arguments on Motions scheduled 2-6-04 from 10:00 to 12:00. Hearing scheduled 3-2-04 thru 3-4-04.

2003-034 OpenSided MRI of Atlanta, LLC

Establish a freestanding MRI unit. Approved 7/30/03. Intervenor in opposition Northside Hospital requests hearing 8/27/03. Hearing Officer is Clifford M. Weiss, Esq.

2003-041 Middle Georgia Regional Ambulatory Surgery Center, LLC

Establishment of free-standing ambulatory surgery Center. Denied 10/16/03. Middle Georgia requested administrative hearing on 11/14/03. Fairview Park Medical Center requested intervention 11/11/03. Hearing Officer is Walter Van Heiningen.

2003-045 Floyd Medical Center

Combine prior-approved Projects Nos. GA 122-01 and 127-01 respectively, to renovate and expand Floyd Medical Center and to relocate Information System and Education components; additional overrun costs. Approved 11/10/03. Redmond Regional Medical Center requests hearing in opposition on 12/10/03. Ellwood Oakley is Hearing Officer. On 12-23-03 Redmond Regional withdraws its request for hearing.

2003-059 Fannin Regional Hospital, Inc.

Expansion and renovation of hospital to include increase of short-stay beds by 12 and one inpatient operating room. Approved 12-12-03. North Georgia Medical Center requests hearing in opposition on 1-5-04. Hearing Officer is Walter Van Heiningen.

2003-061 Brunswick Diagnostic Imaging, LLC.

Establish a diagnostic and treatment or rehabilitation center on same campus as existing freestanding outpatient diagnostic imaging center in Brunswick; replace current MRI unit with more modern unit as well as the addition of CT, ultrasound, mammography and plain film x-ray service equipment. Approved 12-19-03. Glynn-Brunswick Memorial Hospital Authority d/b/a Southeast Georgia Health System requests hearing in opposition on 1-9-04. Ellwood Oakley is Hearing Officer.

2003-063 Physicians Cath Lab, LLC

Establish a cardiac catheterization diagnostic, treatment or rehabilitation center on campus of Piedmont Hospital in Atlanta. Denied 12-23-03. Appealed by applicant on 1-15-04. Hearing Officer is Melvin Goldstein.

Requests for Letters of Non-Reviewability for MRI Units

Diagnostic Imaging Technology, LLC; Request to purchase a Toshiba Opart/Prodiga .35T MRI system to be located in an office space at the Palisades at West Paces, 3200 Downwood Circle, Suite 300D, Atlanta, Georgia 30327. MRI value as submitted \$707,148. Request received 7/31/03. Contact Person: Edwin M. Ceccarelli at (770) 499-9900. Decision pending.

Medical Imaging Solutions Group, Inc.; Request to re-locate a pre-owned mobile MRI unit to be located at 481 West Pike Street, Lawrenceville, Georgia 30045. MRI value as submitted \$335,000. Request received 9/24/03. Contact Person: Vivian Bates at (770) 592-9491. Decision pending.

Northwest Openscan MRI; Request to purchase previously owned Siemens Harmony MRI unit to be located in at 3824 Austell Road, Marietta, GA 30008. MRI value as submitted \$528,000. Request received 9/29/03. Contact Person: Charles N. Wells at (404) 277-3333. Decision pending. Letter issued 12/23/03.

Diagnostic Clinic of Athens LLC d/b/a Royston Diagnostic Center; Request to purchase a GE HiSpeed LX MRI from GE Medical Systems to be located in an outpatient facility operated at 930 Franklin Springs Street, Royston, GA 30662. MRI value as submitted \$645,740.94. Request received 10/15/03. Contact Person: Richard Gray at (706) 354-1036. Decision pending.

Henry Health Imaging, Inc.; Request to acquire a refurbished Siemens Magnetom Symphony MR System from Siemens Medical Solutions, USA, Inc. to be located at 3392 Lost Valley Drive, Jonesboro, Georgia 30236. MRI value as submitted \$711,000. Request received 11/10/03. Contact Person: Kathryn M.T. Platt at (770) 551-9550. Decision pending.

Neurology Associates, LLP; Request to purchase and operate a mobile GE Medical Systems 1.5T LX MRI System to be located at 637 Pine Street, Macon, Georgia 31201 at a building operated by Neurology Associates, LLP. MRI value as submitted \$699,070.64. Request received 12/08/03. Contact Person: G. Michael Shoffner, M.D. at (478) 743-9123. Decision pending.

Orthopedic Center, P.C.; Request to purchase and operate a Philips Diamond Select Refurbished Infinion 1.5 T Powerdrive 2000 Active Shielded MRI to be located at 210 East DeRenne Avenue, Savannah, Georgia 31405. MRI value as submitted \$697,810. Request received 12/11/03. Contact Person: Michael W. Kleinpeter at (912) 355-0140. Decision pending.

Imaging Associates of Canton, LLC; Request to purchase and operate a GE Medical Systems 1.5T LX MRI System to be located at 200 Oakside Lane, Suite A, Canton, Georgia 30114. MRI value as submitted \$702,905.71. Request received 12/18/03. Contact Person: Dr. Bradley R. Peters at (404) 513-3842. Letter issued 12/31/2003. Letter canceled 1/16/2004 pending further review.

Southern Orthopaedic Specialists, LLC; Request to purchase and operate a Siemens Magnetom Concerto 0.2T Open MRI System to be located at 915 Eagles Landing Parkway, Stockbridge, Georgia 30281. MRI value as submitted \$688,013. Request received 1/14/2004. Contact Person: Ms. Marsha A. Hopkins, Esq. at (770) 957-1199. Decision pending.

Requests for Letters of Non-Reviewability for Establishment of Physician-Owned Ambulatory Surgery Facilities

Jain Plastic Surgery, P.C., to operate an office-based single specialty ambulatory surgery center; 2522 Warm Springs Road, Columbus, Georgia. Proposed two (2) operating room(s); Specialty is Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery; one (1) physician(s) authorization requested: Ashish K. Jain, M.D. Project costs as submitted: \$672,095.47. Request received: 7/23/03. Contact Person: Gayle Evans (770) 794-4944. LNR issued 1-21-04.

Ear, Nose and Throat of Atlanta, LLC, to operate an office-based single specialty ambulatory surgery center; 5673 Peachtree Dunwoody Road, Atlanta, Georgia. Proposed one (1) operating room(s); Specialty is Otorhinolaryngology; seven (7) physician(s) authorization requested: Robert Hoddeson, M.D.; Samad Honarvar, M.D.; Michael J. Koriwachak, M.D.; J. Pablo Stolovitzky, M.D.; Peter J. Abramson, M.D.; Michael J. Pickford, M.D.; and Craig A. Richman, M.D. Project costs as submitted: \$849,699. Request received: 8/7/03. Contact Person: Edward C. Luke, Jr. (770) 951-8427. Decision Pending.

North Georgia Orthopedic Center, P.C., to operate an office-based single specialty ambulatory surgery center; 634 Peachtree Parkway, Cumming, Georgia. Proposed one (1) operating room(s); Specialty is Orthopedics; one (1) physician(s) authorization requested: Linda C. Jackson, M.D. Project costs as submitted: \$70,250. Request received: 8/11/03. Contact Person: Edward C. Luke, Jr. (770) 951-8427. Decision Pending.

Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery Center, P.C., to operate an office-based single specialty ambulatory surgery center; 820 St. Sebastian Way, Suite 1A, Augusta, Georgia. Proposed two (2) operating room(s); Specialty is Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery; one (1) physician(s) authorization requested: G. Stephenson Drew, M.D. Project costs as submitted: 170,116.23. Request received: 8/12/03. Contact Person: Gayle Evans (770) 794-4944. Decision Pending.

The Orthopedic Surgery Center, L.P., to operate a physician-owned, single specialty, office based ambulatory surgery center; 210 East DeRenne Avenue, Savannah, GA 31405. Proposed two (2) operating rooms and one (1) minor procedure room; Specialty is Orthopedics; sixteen (16) physicians authorization requested. Project costs as submitted: \$1,231,177. Request received 9/8/03. Contact person: James W. Dewberry, M.D.(912) 355-0140. LNR denied 1-6-04.

Gastroenterology Associates of Central Georgia, LLC, to operate a physician-owned, single specialty, office-based ambulatory surgery center; 400 Plum Street, Macon, GA; Proposed: Three (3) operating rooms with pre-operative and post-operative areas. Specialty is Gastroenterology; Five (5) physicians authorization requested: Shahriar Sedghi, M.D.; Davey R. Deal, M.D.; Vincent A. Gibbert, M.D.; Harold B. Harrison, M.D.; C. Bruce Huckaby, M.D. Project costs as submitted: \$1,315,070. Request received 10/23/03. Contact person: Edward C. Luke, Jr., (770) 951-8427. Decision Pending.

Wellbrook Endoscopy Center East, to operate a physician-owned, single specialty, office based ambulatory surgery center; Wheat Street and Industrial Blvd., Covington, GA. Proposed Two (2) operating rooms; Specialty: Endoscopy. Four (4) physicians: Steven Ellison, M.D., Fred Levin, M.D., A. Steven McIntosh, M.D., Karen Weiss-Schorr, M.D. Project costs as submitted: \$971,100. Request received: 10/22/03. Contact person: Brian Young, (770) 922-0505. Decision Pending.

The Hand & Upper Extremity Surgery Center of Georgia, LLC, to operate a physician-owned, single specialty ambulatory surgery center; 993D Johnson Ferry Road, Suite 200, Atlanta, GA. Proposed: Two (2) room outpatient surgery center; Specialty is Orthopaedic; Three (3) physicians: Bronier L.Costas, M.D., Gary Lourie, M.D., Allan Peljovich, M.D. Project cost as submitted: \$1,177,551. Request received: 9/2/03. Contact person: Daniel J. Mohan (404) 504-7610. Decision Pending.

Advanced Foot and Ankle Center, LLC., to operate a physician-owned, single specialty, office-based ambulatory surgical center; Brampton Avenue, Statesboro, GA. Proposed: One (1) operating room; Specialty is Podiatry; Two (2) physician authorization requested: Kevin McDonald, DPM, Kathleen Skelly, DPM. Project costs as submitted: \$714,582. Request received: 10/30/03. Contact person: Kevin McDonald, DPM, (912) 489-3668. Decision Pending.

Dixon Eye Care Ambulatory Surgery Center, LLC, to operate a single-specialty office-based ambulatory surgery center, 808 N. Jefferson Street, Albany, GA 31701. Proposed: One (1) operating room; Specialty is Ophthalmology; One (1) physician authorization requested: El-Roy deCourtenay Dixon, M.D. Project costs as submitted: \$933,245. Request received 10/30/03. Contact person: Robert M. Keenan, III, (404) 572-3591. Decision Pending.

Augusta E.N.T., PC, develop a physician-owned, single-specialty, office-based ambulatory surgery facility; 340 North Belair Road, Evans, Georgia 30809. Proposed: Two (2) operating rooms; Specialty: otolaryngology; Four (4) physician authorization requested: J. Douglas Harmon, M.D., W. Andrew Wells, M.D., Alan B. Whitehouse, M.D., William E. Barfield, III, M.D.; Project costs as submitted: \$865,476. Request received 12/8/03. Contact person: Rebekah N. Plowman, (404) 923-9080. LNR issued 1-16-04.

The Endoscopy Center of Columbus, Inc., relocation of an existing physician-owned, single-specialty, ambulatory surgery center. Current address: 1041 Talbotton Road, Columbus, GA - Proposed location: Lot 100, 1.32 AC, 1130 Talbotton Road, Columbus, GA. Proposed: Four (4) operating rooms. Specialty: Endoscopy. Two (2) physician authorizations requested: Pravinchandra Harivadan Patel, M.D., Ashwinkumar Devendraprasad Patel, M.D. Project cost as submitted: \$943,389.91. Request received 12-18-03. Contact person: Everette B. Jenkins, (678) 625-4720. Applicant withdrew request for LNR on 1-2-04.

Thomas Eye Group, P.C. relocation of an existing physician-owned, single specialty, office-based, ambulatory surgery facility, 5671 Peachtree Dunwoody Road, Atlanta, GA. Twelve (12) physician authorizations requested. Contact person: W. Kevin Thomas, M.D., 404-705-5751. Applicant withdrew LNR request to relocate ASC on 9-5-03.

Atlanta Women's Health Group, PC, operate a physician-owned, single-specialty ambulatory surgery center, 11975 Morris Road, Suite 160, Alpharetta, GA 30005. Proposed: Two (2) operating rooms; Specialty: OB/GYN; Thirty-eight (38) physician authorizations requested. Project costs as submitted: \$935,010. Request received 12-29-03. Contact person: Gail H. Detraz, (404) 303-1224. Decision Pending.

Perimeter Outpatient Surgical Associates, Inc., relocation of an existing physician-owned, single-specialty, office-based ambulatory surgery facility, 5671 Peachtree Dunwoody Road, Building #4, Atlanta, GA 30342. Proposed: Two (2) operating rooms; Specialty: Orthopaedic; One (1) physician authorization requested: Paul V. Spiegl, M.D.. Projected costs as submitted: Request received 12-31-03. Contact person: Christie Schuster, RN, (404) 255-5595, x222. Decision Pending.

Bulloch County Endoscopy Center, LLC, construct and develop a physician-owned, single-specialty, office-based ambulatory surgery facility, 1555 Brampton Avenue, Lot 1-B, Statesboro, GA 30458. Proposed: One (1) operating room; Specialty: Gastroenterology; One (1) physician authorization requested: Dr. Scot Murray. Projected costs as submitted: \$1,289,758. Request received 1-9-04. Contact person: Cecilia Kronawitter, (561) 988-9522. Decision Pending.